

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Department of Telecommunications and Energy
Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company
Docket No. D.T.E. 02-24/25
Responses to the Attorney General's Seventh Set of Information Requests

Request No. AG-7-69 (Electric)

Referring to Schedule MHC-5, page 3, please itemize and quantify the "Other Outside Services" expenses indicated.

Response:

The reference above should have been to Exhibit MHC-5 rather than Schedule MHC-5. The following is an itemized list of the Other Outside Services Expense portion of Total USC Expenses for 2001.

Description	Amount
URT funding	65,300
Payroll processing	57,968
Temporary help	43,751
Computer training classes	35,385
Executive search firm	26,856
Retirement Plan consulting	25,928
401(k) admin & record keeping	13,964
ID and fraud verification of new customers	10,517
Affirmative Action Plan consulting	8,975
Interoffice mail delivery	8,303
Computer training	5,589
Internal training and seminars	4,350
Compensation Market Survey	3,832
Software support for website development	3,800
Telecommunication consulting	3,590
Other items (31) less than \$3,000 individually	26,799
Total	<u><u>\$ 344,907</u></u>

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